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## RECEPTION

The Annual Reception at the opening of the Exhibition of American Oil Paintings and Sculpture, will occur Tuesday afternoon, October 20. The exhibition will include a representative collection of contemporary American pictures.

In addition to the important permanent exhibition of pictures and other objects in the museum the following special exhibitions will be held during the season. The exhibitions are usually opened by receptions of greater or less importance.

## **EXHIBITIONS**

- October 20 to November 29.—Twenty-first Annual Exhibition of American Oil Paintings and Sculpture selected in Europe and America.
- November 17 to December 2.—Annual Exhibition of China Painting of the Atlan Club of Chicago.
- December 8 to December 22.—Annual Exhibition of Art Crafts; original designs for decorations, and examples of craftsmanship embodying artistic design.
- December 8 to December 27—Exhibition of Gothic Decorative Cartoons for Painted Windows, Ceilings, Wall Paintings, etc., for the new University Club, by Frederic C. Bartlett, of Chicago.
- January 5 to January 24, 1909.—(1) Loan Exhibition of selected examples of contemporary Dutch Paintings belonging to private collections in America.
  - (2) Special exhibition of Paintings by William Wendt, and of Sculptures by Julia Bracken Wendt, of Chicago.
  - (3) Special exhibition of Drawings by Edwin H. Blashfield, of New York.
- February 2 to February 28. Annual Exhibition of works of Artists of Chicago and vicinity; under the joint management of the Art Institute and the Municipal Art League of Chicago.
- March 9 to March 28.—(1) Annual Exhibition of the Chicago Architectural Club.
  - (2) Special Exhibition of Paintings by Frank C. Peyraud of Chicago.
- April 6 to May 2.—(1) Exhibition of Contemporary German Paintings. This collection is brought to this country for exhibition in three institutions only, namely: The Metropolitan Museum of New York, the Copley Society of Boston, and the Art Institute of Chicago.
  - (2) Annual Exhibition of the Society of Western Artists.
  - (3) Exhibition, Salon of the Federation of Photographic Societies of America, under the auspices of the Chicago Branch, the Chicago Camera Club.
- May 11 to June 13.—(1) Annual Exhibition of American Water Colors and Pastels, including the "Rotary Exhibition" of the American Water Color Society.
  - (2) Exhibition of the National League of Mineral Painters.
  - (3) Annual Exhibition of the Chicago Ceramic Association.
- June 19 to July 18.—Annual Exhibition of work of Students of the Art Institute.